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SUBJECT: DESIGNATION OF BENEFICIARY COUNTRIES FOR GSP

REFS: (A) CANBERRA 4347, (B) CANBERRA 831,
(C) STATE 282967

1. SECTION 502(C) OF TITLE V OF THE TRADE ACT OF 1974
REQUIRES INTER ALIA THAT THE PRESIDENT TAKE INTO ACCOUNT
THE EXPRESSION BY A COUNTRY OF ITS DESIRE TO BE DESIGNATED
A BENEFICIARY DEVELOPING COUNTRY FOR PURPOSES OF GSP, SUCH
AN EXPRESSION OF DESIRE TO BE DESIGNATED IS NOT A
NECESSARY LEGAL PRECONDITION FOR DESIGNATION.

2. IF GOA SHOULD AT SOME FUTURE DATE QUESTION THE EMBASSY
AS TO WHETHER OR NOT AN EXPRESSION OF DESIRE IS STILL
EXPECTED ON BEHALF OF ITS DEPENDENT TERRITORIES, YOU CAN
RESPOND THAT, PER PARA ONE ABOVE, IT IS NOT LEGALLY
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NECESSARY BUT THAT USG WOULD ACCEPT SUCH AN EXPRESSION

IF OFFERED.

3. WE REGRET THE DELAY IN RESPONDING TO POST'S QUERY
(REFTEL B) RE STATUS OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA. ALTHOUGH PNG WAS
INADVERTANTLY LEFT OFF LIST TRANSMITTED PARA 11 REFTEL C,

ISSUE IS NOW MOOT AS PRESIDENT DESIGNATED PNG AS
BENEFICIARY DEVELOPING COUNTRY FOR GSP PER EXECUTIVE
ORDER 11844 OF MARCH 24, 1975. PNG CASE SHOULD

RECEIVE SAME HANDLING INDICATED PARA 2. KISSINGER

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